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IN RE APPLICATION OF :  
HITOSHI KOSUGI : EXAMINER: JASON PAUL RIGGLEMAN  
SERIAL NO: 10/673,254 :  
FILED: SEPTEMBER 30, 2003 : GROUP ART UNIT: 1792  
FOR: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR  
DISPENSING A RINSE SOLUTION ON A  
SUBSTRATE

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

SIR:

In response to the Office Action date December 13, 2007, please amend the  
above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page  
2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 6 of this paper.